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Carolinas Medical Center proposes relocation of radiation therapy

RALEIGH – Carolinas Medical Center (CMC) has submitted an application to the Certificate of Need Section of the N.C. Division of Health Service Regulation to relocate its existing radiation therapy department from the hospital to a new outpatient building to be constructed on the CMC campus.

The project will involve relocating two linear accelerators, one of which will be replaced as part of the project. The capital cost of the project is \$22.15 million.

A public hearing for the project will be conducted by the CON Section at 1 p.m. on March 18 in Room 267 of the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Government Center, 600 E. Fourth St., Charlotte.

Anyone may file written comments concerning these proposals. Comments must be received by the Certificate of Need Section no later than March 3 at the following address:

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